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Parent Case is Pending in Art Unit: 2724

Sir:

This is a request for filing a ☒ Continuation ☐ Divisional application under 37 CFR 1.53(d) [not a new application] of pending Application No. 08/878,978 filed on 6/19/1997 of [First inventor]: **Stephen F. Linder et al.**

Entitled: **METHOD AND SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING AND RENDERING OBJECT ORIENTED NEUTRAL IMAGE DATA**

1. ☐ Enter the unentered amendment previously filed on under 37 CFR 1.116 in the prior application.
2. ☒ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.
3. ☐ This application is being filed by fewer than all the inventors named in the prior application, 37 CFR 1.53(d)(4).
 - a. ☐ Delete the following inventors named in the prior application:
 - b. ☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth in a separate sheet attached hereto.
4. ☐ A new Power of Attorney or authorization of agent is enclosed.
5. ☐ IDS: Enclosed is an additional PTO-1449 form and copies of those IDS citations.
6. ☒ The filing fee is calculated below:

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(1) FOR	(2) NUMBER FILED	(3) NUMBER EXTRA	(4) RATE	(5) CALCULATIONS
TOTAL CLAIMS (37 CFR 1.16(c))	7 - 20 =	0	x \$ 18	= 0.00
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MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS (IF APPLICABLE) (37 CFR 1.16(d))		ANY - - 0	\$ 260	= 0.00
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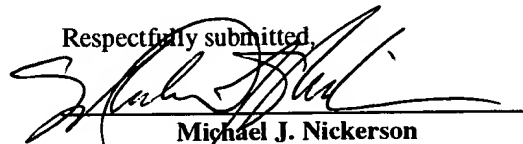
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8. ☒ This is an authorization under 37 CFR 1.136(a)(3) to treat any concurrent or future reply, requiring a petition for extension of time, as incorporating a petition for the appropriate extension of time.
9. ☒ The correspondence address remains the same as in the prior application.
10. ☒ A return receipt postcard is enclosed.
11. ☒ Also enclosed is/are: **Petition for Extension of Time.**

Respectfully submitted,

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Signature per 37 CFR 1.33 & 34

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